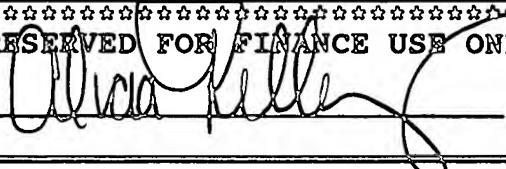


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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.17(H) AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION AND REQUEST FOR REFUND

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Nonprovisional Application dated May 13, 2005 (a copy of which is attached hereto), Applicants hereby submit that the alleged missing drawings were in fact filed on September 9, 2003. In support of this position, attached hereto are copies of five sheets of informal drawings comprising Figs. 1-5 which were filed on September 9, 2003. Also enclosed is the date-stamped postcard receipt stamped from the USPTO on September 9, 2003 which evidences that five sheets of drawings were filed on that date. As further evidence, submitted herewith is a copy of the Certificate of Express Mail dated September 9, 2003, and the Utility Patent Application Transmittal which states Applicants filed five sheets of drawings. Therefore, Applicants hereby petition that the attached drawing sheets be placed in the Office's file wrapper and that this application receive a filing date of September 9, 2003.

Because this Petition was necessitated by an error on behalf of the Patent Office, Applicant request the filing date of September 9, 2003 be granted, and that the \$400.00 fee for this Petition be refunded to Applicant's Deposit Account.

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